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THOMAS JEFFERSON.

CELEBRATION OF HIS ANNIVER-SARY BY DEMOCRATS.

The Banquet in Washington City Last Night-In the Same Hall Where the First Jefferson Anniversary Was Held Bryan the Central Figure-His Speech on the Monetary Question-His Arraign. ment of Mr. Cleveland.

Washington, April 13.-The 154th anniversary of Jefferson's birthday was celebrated tonight at the Metropolitan hotel by a subscription dinner given under the auspices of the National Association of Democratic Clubs. The first celebration of the anniversary of Jefferson's birth occurred at the same hostelry, then known as the Indian Queen. President Jackson was the guest of honor and the occasion was made memorial by the pres-ence of Vice President John C. Calhoun, and other democratic leaders of that day. Tonight William J. Bryan, of Nebraska was the guest of honor. Senators, representatives and others conspicuous in the counsels of the democratic party were present. Many of them were from a distance. Covers were laid for 200, and a number of people were denied seats for want of space at the tables. The decorations of the room were simple. The col-umns were twined with southern smilax and a full length portrait of Jefferson, draped with American flags, was hung behind the that of Governor Chauncey F. Black, of Pennsylvania, the president of the association. Upon his right were Mr. Bryan and Representative McMillin, who cted as toast master, and on the left Senator Jones, of Arkanasas; Representatives Bland, of Missouri; Lentz, of Ohio, ania, and Andrew Lipscomb, of Virginia. Mr. Bryan was greeted with a lusty heer as he entered the hall.

The menu was carefully prepared and was similar to such a dinner as might have served during Jefferson's days. The dishes were all American creations and each ceurse, as far as possible, represented one section of the country. The dinner began promptly at 8 o'clock, an orchestra playing national airs, blended with southern melodies to conform in simplicity to the spirit of the dinner.

The toasts were briefly responded to, except in the case of Mr. Bryan, who spoke ; at length to the toast, "Thomas Jeffer-

The order of the set toasts was as fol-"Thomas Jefferson: We celebrate the anniversary of his birth, not in the gard and reverence for his political principles."-William J. Bryan, of Nebraska. "The diffusion of information and arraignment of all abuses at the bar of

gural address.)-James K. Jones, of Ar-"Equal and exact justice to all men, of

public reason." (From Jefferson's inau-

"The declaration of independence, an during monument of that devotion of p liberty and abhorrence of tyranny which stamp the character and mark the whole course of the life of its author."—Joseph purchased a tract of land of eighty acres Sibley, of Pennsylvania,

"Peace, commerce and honest friendship with all nations, entangling alliances with none." (From the same address.)-John P. Lentz, of Ohio. "An aristocracy of wealth is of more

harm and danger than benefit to society.' Jefferson.)-Andrew J. Lipscomb, of

Mr. Bryan said in part: "The democratic party is strong just a proportion as it proves true to the teachings of its great founder. It is the mission of the democratic party to crystallize into legislation the principles which ie taught. The party applies democratic principles to the issues which arise from time to time. For many years the tariff testion was the paramount issue, and party took a more advanced position year until 1892, when it declared itin favor of a policy which meant ubstantially a tariff for revenue only. But the president elected at that time, instead of proceeding to carry out that portion of the platform, forced upon public attention an issue which had up to that time been considered secondary. Mr. develand, more than any other person in this nation, is responsible for the prominent position which the money question now occupies. It was his determination to complete the demonetization of silver and make the gold standard perpetua that aroused the masses of the United States to active resistance. The struggle for supremacy between the gold standard and bimetallism was recognized as a conest between the money power and the

ommon people. The explicit declaration in favor of e and unlimited coinage at 16 to 1 without waiting for the aid or consent of any other nation was made necessary by the attempts of certain public men to evade the preceding platform. The party struggle which culminated in the Chicago convention, of necessity, alienated a portion of the party. The party was placed endorse the financial policy of the president or adhere to the doctrines and traditions of the party. The position taken by the democratic party in 1896 will not be surrendered. If you doubt the permanency of the Chicago platform as a party creed, go among the rank and file of the party and measure the zeal and enthusiasm which the platform has aroused and you will realize the responsibility of taking

"True, the present administration is seeking to turn public attention to the through the hills and lost six killed. The tariff question; but if our reasoning is Tarifa battalion had an engagement with well founded, an increase of taxes cannot restore prosperity to the producers of wealth. If the Dingley bill brings general | tain. and permanent prosperity, the democratic party will not be in a position to win a contest by opposing it. If, on the other hand, the Dingley bill proves a disappointment to those who advocate it, our posi- political excitement in both countries. that the cause of financial depression is

to be found in our monetary system. gain that the republican party may now be considered a minority party. It has people of the nation have another opporbecause the condition of the people will sion. The Union Constitucional expresses ceed with other remedial legislation. If, proof of its friendship for Cuba. however, the republican party, after pledging itself to secure international bimetallism, finds it impossible to fulfill that pledge, its expressed preference for a double standard will rise up to con-

the evils of the gold standard."

Mr. Spalding's Confession. Chicago, April 14.-President McKay, of the University of Illinois trustees, said today that C. W. Spalding, treas- | Balm and to all appearances am cured. urer of the board and president of the Terrible headaches from which I had defunct Globe Savings bank, admit- long suffered are gone.-W. J. Hitchted to him and to Trustee James E. | cock, late Major U. S. Vol. and A. A. Armstrong that he had hypothecated Gen., Buffalo, N. Y. the university endowment bonds entrusted to him as treasurer. This ad- | Ex-Senator Voorhees to be Interred Totay. mission of guilt, Mr. McKay said, was made Monday. Spalding entered into no explanation, but promised a full statement later. This is the first time | Haute house, where a constant stream of any one in authority has openly stated that the bonds have been hypothecated. President McKay, Trustee Armstrong and John P. Wilson, attorney for the board, were present at the conference | guard in squads of four, serving six when Mr. Spalding confessed. The Apply into the nostrils. It is quickly absorbed. 50 neeting was held in the office of Mr. sents at Druggists or by mail; samples 10c. by mail. | Oliver, attorney for Spalding. Spalding

THE SPALDING EMBEZZLEMEMT.

Some of the \$400,000 o University Endowment Bonds Found -They had Been Sold or Hypothecated.

Chicago, April 12.-The disappearance

of \$400,000 of endowment bonds of the University of Illionia has caused a general scanning of securities held by the different banking institutions in this city and has been discovered that the First ctional bank has in its vaults accesty With Calhoun as Chief Guest-W. J. \$200,000 of the bonds which formed the caldowment fund of the university, of which Globe Savings bank, as treasurer of the university, was the enstedian. Some of these bonds were so'd outright to the bank, others are held as collateral for loans made to Spalding. Another nuclenal bank is said to hold some of the bands. Some trace of the cash belonging to the University of Illionis has been found. On Saturday, April 2rd, the last business day before the failure of the Globe Savings bank Herbert Skinner, Spalding's private secretary, drew \$15,000 from the Globe Savwestern bank to Spaiding's private ac-

Treasurer Spulding, who was expected to come before the meeting of the board today and explain the disappearance of the university funds, failed to put in an appearance. At the meeting, which was held belief closed doors, E. G. Keith was elected treasurer in Mr. Spalding's

It was evident that the trustees are dowment funds and that the board must ard. now confine its attention to the work of corraling securities sufficient to cover the missing bonds and the cash fund of \$130,-000 in Mr. Spalding's possession when the Globe Savings bank failed. A list which was received from Mr. Spalding, giving the kind and denomination of securities with which he offers to cover his liability and ex-Representative Sibley, of Pennsyl- | for the endowment bonds, was submitted. This the trustees agreed was an admission by Mr. Spalding that the \$400,000 endowment bonds are not where he can obtain possession of them. Additional charges are made in regard

to the alleged mismanagement of the affairs of the Globe Savings bank in an The bill is part of the receivership proceedings, and brings into the case a number of persons not heretofore involved.

President Spalding's connection with the bank is dealt with extensively in the amended bill. It is averred Spalding induced H. C. Haley to make three promissory notes, aggregating upwards of \$15,000, payable to the order of Spaldings or the bank, upon the assurance of Spalding that he would deposit \$40,000 in merchanaanniversary of his birth, not in the ble bonds as security. Spalding, it is guard and not be caught in this shyspirit of personal idolatry, but from recharged, used the money for his own benlock trap." efit and set apart \$40,000 in bonds.

Property belonging to the bank has been applied by Spalding, it is declared, in the purchase of real estate, and it is charged that he caused a portion of this real es- lature did. tate to be conveyed to others, besides himself, in order to conceal his interests. It is also averred that Spalding has used whatever state or persuasion, religious or political."—Richard P. Bland, of Mis-Lanchart, deceased, the last either for purchased a tract of land of eighty acres in Cook county, and Spalding, it is alleged, paid for his share of the property out of funds of the Globe Savings bank and it is also charged that Ford, Lanehart and Altgeld knew this. Of the sum of \$103,000 of which the state auditor ordered charged to the profit and loss account of the Globe Savings bank, it is represented \$17,000 was an indebtedness of John P. Altgeld and that \$5,000 was an indebtedness nominally due from John W. Lanehart. It is charged, however, that the last amount was, in fact, a loan to ex-Governor Altgeld. It is also claimed in the bill that ex-Governor Altgeld has been transferring his property with the intention of keeping it away from the creditors of the bank.

President Spalding, Vice President Averill and Cashier Churchill, of the bank, put in an appearance today in the court of Justice Hall and gave bonds for their appearance April 19th to answer to the charge of embezzlement preferred by Adolph Edelman, one of the depositors of the bank.

THE WAR IN CUBA.

Smallpox Raging in Guiness-More Spanish Atrecities -- Congratulations by the Press on the Friendship of the McKinky the latter was public or private, said Administration.

Havana, April 13.-Smallpox is raging at Guines, a village of 8,000 inhabitants. During the last week there have been 150

Siguanea, came upon three women who road. were carrying a wounded insurgent. The Spaniards killed the insurgent and brought the women to Siguanea. Guerillas killed ten insurgents at Pedroso, Matanzas, stripping the dead of in the position where it was compelled to | their arms. There have been other skirmishes in that locality recently. The coaster Triton, which has arrived

here after touching at various points in I mar del Rio, brought seven officers and the week ending yesterday says: The 105 soldiers, all sick. Falcon, will be tried tomorrow by court-

Pedro Garcia, an insurgent, accused of incendiarism, was shot at sun rise today. The insurgents have been defeated at the Timor farm. They were followed a body of insurgents, the regulars losing three wounded and the insurgents a cap-

martial, at the Cabanas fortress.

La Lucha in an editorial today says: "We have been waiting for a year and a half for a break in the relations between Spain and the United States, due to the tion of 1896 will be strengthened and pub- which their rulers were unable to subdue, lic attention will be riveted upon the fact in spite of their efforts in the way of prudence, tact and patriotism. But now the coolness of both governments has "There is much in recent events to en- quieted public opinion in both countries courage the followers of Thomas Jeffer- and the fear of a rupture of amicable reson. The spring elctions indicate a grow- lations seems far off. There exists a feeling sentiment along the lines of the Chi- ing of great cordiality between Spain and cago platform. In fact, the elections the United States, which, it is understood, which have taken place show so great a | will soon be of priceless benefit to all concerned. The policy of the cabinet at Washington is now firm and energetic in but one hope of escape from the wrath compelling Americans to observe neutralto come, and that is to secure bimetallism | ity in Cuban affairs. Spain, on her side, by international agreement before the accedes to all the claims made in friendly notes regarding American citizens and tunity to speak at the polls. While we has thus nullified in the United States the who believe in independent bimetallism propaganda of the anti-Spanish, and the

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> ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City. Since 1861 I have been a great sufferer from catarrh. I tried Ely's Cream

Terre Haute, Ind., April 14.-The remains of ex-Senator Daniel W. Voorhees have been lying in state at the Terre callers have passed in review all day. Among those who called to pay their last tribute was ex-Secretary of the Navy Richard W. Thompson. The Jackson club provided the watchers, who stood hours each. The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock p. m., tomorrow at St. Stephens Episcopal church, from which church Mrs. Voorhees was buried ten years ago.

THE NEW FEDERAL JUDGE

REQUIRED TO GIVE PLEDGE TO APPOINT J. B. FORTUNE CLERK.

Senator Butler Thinks the Gold Democrats Will Return to and Dominate Their Old Party-Woman Burned to Death in a Grave Yard-Miraculous Escape of a Child in the Harrisburg Railway Accident-Frauds Perpetrated on Public Schools.

Messenger Bureau, Park Hotel. Raleigh, N. C., April 13. The republicans of the Fourth ward of this city last evening had a meeting and carried out the prepared plan by endorsing an independent democrat for mayor.

It is asserted here that Julius B. Forings bank and deposited it in the North- tune, who quite recently came to this city from Shelby, came with the promise from Senator Pritchard that he was to have the position of clerk of the United States district court, which Nathaniel J. Riddick has held for thirtyone years. J. C. L. Harris was asked today for the facts in the case and gave what is said above, adding that a pledge to appoint Fortune would be agreed on one point, and that is that a condition precedent to the endorse-Mr. Spalding has hypothecated the en- ment of any person for judge by Pritch-

Captain E. B. C. Hambley, well known as a breeder of fine cattle in Rowan county, who recently sold his herd to Vanderbilt, will make Oxford his home. 22 经 图 图

Senator Butler says in his paper today that he thinks "there is some danger that the 'gold democrats' will go back into the democratic party and to some extent at least get control of that state state organization; that if this should happen than the rank and file of the democratic party would come almost in a body amended bill filed today by Charles E. to the people's party and we could de-Churchill, cashier of the defunct bank. feat the republican gold and monoply candidate and elect a people's party president with a co-operation of the silver republicans." He then says the cludes: "We appeal to every true populist who may have been misled by the 'middle of the road' cry to be on his lock trap."

The populists of Edgecombe county at a meeting last Friday repudiated all that the bolting populists in the legis-

Two convicts from Gates county and thirteen from Halifax are the latest

arrivals at the penitentiary. the money of the bank to pay life insur-ance premiums, having a policy to the extent of \$150,000. Another section of the Fayetteville yesterday. A negro wo-ferred, 105. Southern, 178: Southern, 178: Southern, prefer-red, 25%; Tobacco, 74%; Tobacco, pre-ferred, 105. amended bill says that Spalding, Edward man was burned to death in a graveyard. On the other hand there was a wonderful escape of a child from death in the railway accident at Harrisburg Sunday. The child, aged 4, was at an open window of a car. In the shock the awful collision the child was thrown out of the window and against the side of a deep cut, yet escaped without any injury.

The failure of the Yadkin Falls Manufacturing Company involved the New London Cordage Company and the latter's mill is sold for only \$8,000, the stockholders losing all their invest-

The state superintendent of public instruction is in receipt of letters which say that a great fraud is being perpetrated on the public schools by certain persons who sell charts. These charts, worth, he says, about \$3.50, are sold for \$16. In one county he declares, no less than \$2,000 of public school money was thus expended. The superintendent says this reckless expenditure of money is one thing which sets many persons against the common schools.

Some of the judges when asked what would be construed as the legislative intent where an act simply repealed another act, without stating whether the construction would be that it repealed a public law.

The efforts to secure a railway to the town of Snow Hill is an earnest one. The people of Green county will vote on a bond issue in aid of it. Northern The Garellano battalion, while near men will put up half the cost of the

> The survey for a harbor of refuge at Cape Lookout is completed. The supreme court today took up the Eleventh district appeals. They are so few that they can be disposed of in a

couple of days.

The weekly weather crop bulletin for weather conditions for the week ending The insurgent leader Ricardo Gonzales 8 o'clock a. m., Monday, April 12th, have been slightly more favorable, at least in the eastern portion of the state, though there has been again too much rain generally. A heavy thunderstorm with excessive rain of about two inches occurred early Friday morning. The temperature was considerably above the normal, until the 10th when it turned cooler with light frost in extreme west portion. Considerable progress has been made in planting corn; and some cotton has been put in. Truck crops and strawberries are growing well in the eastern district.

Fair, warmer weather is needed. Eastern district-The first part of the week was warm and favorable for farm work, but after the heavy rain on Friday the weather turned cooler. Farm work progressed well at some points. Corn planting is now well advanced on uplands and some corn is up and looking well. Preparations for cotton are under way and a few farmers have commenced to plant. Truck crops are growing rapidly; beans are up and May peas in bloom. Irish potatoes are coming up nicely. Sweet potatoes bewho believe in independent bimetallism generally regard an international agreement as neither necessary nor possible, we may well hope for success to any who may make the attempt to secure foreign and may make the attempt to secure foreign adds: "An offer of friendly intervention age by frost, are setting fruit well and the sent of the press and the senate."

American government has quieted the violence of the press and the senate."

The Union Constitucional also treats the question editorially in the same tone, and adds: "An offer of friendly intervention age by frost, are setting fruit well and to set. Some rice has been planted. Strawberries show little signs of damage by frost, are setting fruit well and age by frost, are setting fruit well and to set. Some rice has been planted. Strawberries show little signs of damage by frost, are setting fruit well and age by frost, are setting fruit well and to set. Some rice has been planted. Strawberries show little signs of damage by frost, are setting fruit well and age by frost, are setting fruit well and to set. Some rice has been planted. Strawberries show little signs of damage by frost, are setting fruit well and age by frost, are setting fruit well and to set. Some rice has been planted. Strawberries show little signs of damage by frost, are setting fruit well and to set. Some rice has been planted. Strawberries show little signs of damage by frost, are setting fruit well and to set. Some rice has been planted. Strawberries show little signs of damage by frost, are setting fruit well and to set. Some rice has been planted. Strawberries show little signs of damage by frost, are setting fruit well and to set to set. Some rice has been planted. Strawberries show little signs of damage by frost, are setting fruit well and to set to set. Some rice has been planted. Strawberries show little signs of damage by frost, are setting fruit well and to set to set. Some rice has been planted. Strawberries show little signs of damage by frost, are setting fruit well and to at many points ripening rapidly. be improved and they will be able to pro- the hope that the United States will give Wheat, fall oats and clover are looking well, and spring oats are green and have good stand.

Supreme Court Decisions.

(Special to The Messenger.) Raleigh, N. C., April 13.-In the supreme court this evening opinions were rendered down as follows: Gossier vs. Wood, from Bertle, affirmed; Boyd vs. Redd, from Rockingham, new trial; Cigar Co. vs. Express Co., from Forsythe, affirmed; Watch Case Co. vs. Express Co., affirmed; Fulp vs. Railroad, from Forsythe, new trial; Wilson vs. Railroad Co., from Forsythe, new trial; State vs. Craine, from Yancey, affirmed: Adams vs. Hayes, from Watauga, reversed; Lackey vs. Martin, from Caldwell, new trial.

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WILMINGTON MARKETS.

COTTON REPORTS. Wilmington, N. C., April 14. Receipts of cotton today-33 bales. Receipts corresponding day last year

This season's receipts to date-232,089 Receipts to same date last year-165,707

The quotations posted at 4 o'clock today at the exchange: Cotton firm. Ordinary Good middling Low middling Middling 7
Good middling 75-16
Prices same day last year, 7%c.

NAVAL STORES.

Spirits turpentine-Machine barrels steady at 27%c; country barrels steady at Rosin steady at \$1.40 and \$1.45.

Tar firm at %c. Crude turpentine quiet; hard \$1.30; yellow dip \$1.86; virgin \$2.00. Prices same day last year-Spirits turpentine at 25%c and 25c; rosin \$1.40 and \$1.45; tar 90c; crude turpentine \$1.30 and

Receipts today-36 casks spirits turpenine, 197 barrels rosin, 47 barrels tar, 8 barrels crude turpentine.

Receipts same day last year-29 casks spirits turpentine, 179 barrels rosin, 75 barrels tar, 7 barrels crude turpentine.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

FINANCIAL.

New York, April 14.-Money on call easier at 1½01% per cent.: last loan at 1½, closed offered at 1½01% per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3½04 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at \$4.87½084.87½ for demand and at \$4.860\$4.864 for sixty days. Posted rates \$4.86440\$4.87 and railroad bonds firm; petroleum steady.

STOCKS.

Atchison, 1016; Adams Express, 148; American Express, 11116; Baltimore and 73c. Turpentine firm at 261c; receipts 5 Ohio, 13; Central Pacific, 74; Chesapeake casks. and Ohio, 17; Chicago Alton, 162; Chicago Burlington and Quincy, 71%; Chicago Gas, ern, 150½; Fort Wayne, 162; Illinois Central, 92; St. Paul and Duluth, 18; Lead A \$1.50. Receipts 2,333; sales 110. Trust, 22%; Louisville and Nashville, 451/2 Louisville and New Albany, 4: Manhattan Consolidated, 84%; Memphis and Charleston, 15; Mobile and Ohio, 19; Nashville and Chattanooga, 66; New Jersey Central, 78%; Norfolk and Western, pre-ferred, 24; New York Central, 100%; Pittsbur, 162; Pullman Palace, 15814; Reading, 1858; Sugar Refinery, 11218; Tennessee Coal and Iron, 2234; United States Express, 40; Wells Fargo Express, 100; Western Union, 80%; General Electric, 30%; National Linseed, 10; Southern, 77%; Southern, prefer-

New U. S. 4's, reg., 1241/4; New U. S. 4's coup., 1241/4; U. S. 5's, reg., 114; U. S. 5's, coup., 1124; U. S. 2's, reg., 964; Pacific 6's, of '95, 104; Alabama, Class A., 1064; Alabama, Class B., 104; Alabama, Class 7.13 and closed at 7.12 to 7.13, with the Consols, 4's, 951/s; Missouri 6's, 100; North Carolina 6's, 122; North Carolina 4's, 102; South Carolina Non-Fund, 1/2: Tennessee New Set 6's, 78%: Tennessee New Set 5's, 105: Tennessee New Set, Old 6's, 60; Virginia Centuries, 64%; Virginia deferred, 5; Southern 5's, 89%; New Jersey Central, General 5's, 10914;

COTTON.

Liverpool, April 14.—Closing—Cetton, spot, good business done; prices firm; American middling 4 3-32d. The sales of the day were 12,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 11,100 American, Receipts 12,000 bales, including 6,100 American. Futures opened quiet and closed quiet but steady at the advance.

American middling, low middling clause: April 4 2-64d, 4 3-64d values; April and May 4 2-64d sellers; May and June 4 1-64d, 4 2-64d sellers; June and July 4 1-64d sellers; July and August 4d values; August and September 3 61-64d, 3 62-64d sellers; September and October 3 56-64d buyers; October and November 3 50-64d buyers; November and December 3 47-64d buyers; December and January 3 46-64d, 3 47-64d buyers; January and February 3 46-64d, 3 47-

New York, April 14.-Cotton quiet and steady; middling 7 7-16c; net receipts none; gross receipts 1,055; exports to Great Britain 407; to the continent 325; forwarded 55; sales 172, all spinners; stock 234,540.

to Great Britain 12,021; to the continent 7,-648; stock 628,164. 721; to the continent 28,804. Total since September 1st: Net receipts 6.320.615; exports to Great Britain 2.781,308; to France 315,516; to the continent 1,786,850;

to the channel 5.481. Cotton futures closed steady; sales 92,-800 bales; January 6.88; February 6.92; April 7.08; May 7.12; June 7.16; July 7.20; August 7.21; September 6.97; October 6.80; November 6.81; December 6.84.

PORT RECEIPTS.

Galveston-Quiet at 7%c; net receipts 135; gross receipts 435. Norfolk-Firm at 71/4c; net receipts 462 gross receipts 462. Baltimore-Dull at 7 7-16c; gross receipts

Boston-Quiet at 7 7-16c; net receipts 132; gross receipts 1,225. Wilmington-Firm at 7c; net receipts 33; gross receipts 33. Philadelphia-Quiet at 7 7-16c; net receipts 61; gross receipts 61. Savannah-Steady at 7 1-16c; net receipts 417; gross receipts 417. New Orleans-Firm at 7 3-16c; net re ceipts 1,256; gross receipts 2,214.

Mobile-Steady at 7c; net receipts 40; gross receipts 40. Memphis-Steady at 7 1-16c; net receipts 126; gross receipts 126. Augusta-Steady at 71/4c; net receipts 164; gross receipts 438. Charleston-Firm at 7c; net receipts 128; gross receipts 128 Cincinnati-Quiet at 7%c; net receipts 796; gross receipts 796.

Louisville-Firm at 71/sc. St. Louis-Steady at 7c; net receipts 50; Houston-Quiet at 7 1-16c; net receipts 1,446; gross receipts 1,446 GRAIN. PROVISIONS, ETC.

Corn-April 23%c, 23%c, 22%c, 23%c; May 23%c, 23%c, 23%c, 23%c; July 25%c, 25%c, 24%224%c, 25%c; September 26%c, 26%c,

Oats-May 161/2c, 161/2c, 161/2c, 161/2c; July Oats-May 18-2c, 18-3c, \$8.40, \$8.40, \$8.30, \$8.37½. Lard-May \$4.15, \$4.17½, \$4.15, \$4.17½; July \$4.25, \$4.27\\(\frac{1}{2}\), \$4.25, \$4.27\\(\frac{1}{2}\).

Ribs—May \$4.57\\(\frac{1}{2}\), \$4.62\\(\frac{1}{2}\), \$4.57\\(\frac{1}{2}\), \$4.62\\(\frac{1}{2}\); July \$4.571/2, \$4.621/2, \$4.571/2, \$4.621/2. Cash quotations were as follows: Flour firm; ..o. 2 yellow corn 23%@24c; No. 2 spring wheat, 681/4@68%c; No. 2 red, 841/4@ 7%c; No. 2 corn, 23%@23%c; No. 2 oats, 16%c; No. 2 white 21%c; No. 3 white, 18%2 21c; mess pork, per bbl., \$8.25@\$8.30; lard, per 100 lbs., \$4.15@\$4.17½; short ribs, sides, loose, \$4.50@\$4.75; dry salted shoulders, boxed, 54c; short clear sides, boxed, 4%@ 4%c; whiskey, distillers' finished goods

New York, April 14.-Flour dull, closing firm with wheat. Wheat-Spot active and stronger; No. 2 red, store, f. o. b., 79%c; No. 1 northern Duluth 80%c f. o. b., affoat; No. 2 hard 75%c f. o. b., afloat. Options opened stronger on higher cables, declined sharply under better weather reports and absence of speculative demand, but fully recovered in the late session on big cash business and war talk, closing quiet at 1/2c net higher; sales included, No. 2, April 764c; May 734@74%c, closed at 74%c; July 72 7-16c@73%c, closed at 73%c; September

per gal., \$1.18.

70%@71%c, closed at 71%c; December 72%0 3%c, closed at 72%c. Corn-Spot fair active; No. 2, 29%c elevator; 39%c affont; yellow 30%c. Options opened weaker in consequence of fine weather west, sold under liquidation, but rallied with wheat and closed at 16c net lower; April closed 294c; May 28441294c;

losed at 29ke; July 39kf 30ke, closed at Oats-Spot market duil; No. 2 cats 22c; No. 2 delivered 23c; No. 3 oats 21c; No. 2 white 24c; No. 3 white 25c; track mixed, western 21623c; track white, western 2007 28c; track white, state 231/28. Options were dull all day with an easy undertone. closing unchanged to be net lower. May 21149/2114c, closed at 2114c; July 21149/22c; closed at 22c.

Lard-Steady; May \$4.45 nominal; refined quiet; continent \$4.65; compound 4@

Pork-Steady but dull. Eggs-Steady; state and Pennsylvania Pac; western fresh 9%c; southern 9%c.

Petroleum-Dull. Cotton Seed Oil-Steadler; prime crude De: prime crude, f. o. b., mills 151/6/18c; prime summer, yellow 224ctiffe; off summer yellow Illic.

Coffee-Options opened steady: March

Rice-Firm. Molasses-Steady.

unchanged, other months 5 to 10 points ower, following easier European markets, free Brazillan receipts and small deliveries in this country. Market dull in the morning, advanced sharply in the afternoon on shorts covering and favorable late European cables. Closed firm with prices from 10 to 15 points net advance. Sales 18,500 bags, including April \$6.90; May \$7.00@ \$7.10; June \$7.10@\$7.15; July \$7.15@\$7.25; August \$7.25@\$7.40; September \$7.30@\$7.50; De-cember \$7.45@\$7.60; February \$7.70; March \$7.75. Spot coffee Rio steady at the advance; No. 7 invoice 7%c: No. 3 jobbing 7%c; mild quiet and steady; Cordova 13% 15%; sales 10,000 bags Rio; No. 7, spot 7%c; 2,000 bags Rio No. 7 to 9 at 7 5-16c.

Sugar—Raw dull; buyers and sellers apart; refined dull; No. 6, 4 1-16c; No. 7, 4c; No. 8, 3%c; No. 9, 3%c; No. 10, 3%c; No. 11, 3%c; No. 12, 3%c; No. 13, 3 5-16c; No. 14, 3%c; mould A 4%c; standard A 4%c; confectioners A 4%c; cut loaf 5%c;

414c; cubes 434c. NAVAL STORES.

New York-Rosin steady; tureputine steady. Charleston-Rosin firm at \$1.40; receipts

crushed 51sc; powdered 45sc; granulated

Savannah-Spirits of turpentine steady steady at 27c; receipts 790; sales 628. Rosin work among the populists, to induce work among the populists, to induce them to do something foolish. He con-

Cotton Futures. (Special to The Messenger.)

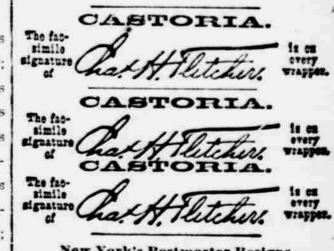
New York, April 14.-The cotton market was dull again today. Liverpool surprised the trade by advancing 2-64d this morning. The spot sales there were again large. The market here was favorably affected by the Liverpool dispatch and opened 4 points higher than the close last night. The business was a shade more general and it looked for a while as if we were to have a little life to the market; but the trading soon became listless and the changes during the day were insignificoup., 114; U. S. 4's, reg., 111; U. S. 4's, cant. May opened at 7.10, advanced to 7.13, declined to 7.10, again advanced to C., 1001/2; Alabama Currency, 100; La. New market steady. The weekly government report today was not favorable. We can see nothing on which to base expectations of lower prices. The exchange will be closed on Friday and Saturday of this

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By Associated Press.) New York, April 14.—The local shorts have been actuated by fears of more serious trouble in the Mississippi valley, with the cotton exchange to be closed three days on account of the holidays, exposing them to unusual risk. Covering was the feature of the day. At best the market showed an advance of 3 to 5 points with finally an advance of 3 to 5 points and the market steady in tone. There has been very little outside interest. The market in the afternoon was helped by reports from the drygoods auction sale, with 20,-000 packages offered and the results reported to be exceeding expectations on the average.

New York Stock Market.

New York, April 14.—The appearance of awakened interest in stock dealings on the exchange today was apparent rather than real. The total sales run up to 230,-000 shares, but Chicago Gas and Sugar absorbed 122,000 shares of these, Chicago Gas being the leader, with over 65,000 shares, and Burlington, St. Paul, New Total today: Net receipts 2,964; exports York Central, and Reading were credited with nearly 50,000 more. Even in the matter of small dealings the market lack-Consolidated: Net receipts 26,526: ex- ed breadth, many stocks usually on the ports to Great Britain 16,837; to France active list showing no sales, Missouri Paclfic and Lackawanna being examples. The heavy volume of dealings in the specialties was almost wholly professional, and outside interest in the market was practically dull. Firmness characterized the bond speculation which was rather quiet. The sales aggregated \$777,000, Governments ruled firm and a shade higher



on purchases of \$12,000.

New York's Postmaster Resigns.

Washington, April 14.-Postmaster Dayon, of New York, whose term expires September 13th, of this year, today forworded his resignation to President Mc-Kinley. It is understood Mr. Dayton's successor will be Cornelius Vancott, who was postmaster during the Harrison administration. He is Senator Platt's candidate and the nomination doubtless will be sent to the senate at once. Mr. Day ton has a large law practice which he wants to resume as soon as possible.

Savannah, Ga., April 26, 1896. Having used three bottles of P. P. P. for impure blood and general weakness and having derived great benefit from the same, having gained 11 pounds in weight in four .weeks. I take great pleasure in recommending it to all unfortunate like

Yours truly. JOHN MORRIS. Office of J. N. McElroy, Druggist, Orlando, Fla., April 20, 1891. Messrs. Lippman Bros., Savannah, Ga. Dear Sirs:-I sold three bottles of P. P. P. large size yesterday, and one bot-

tle small size today. The P. P. cured my wife of rheumatism winter before last. It came back on her the past winter and a half bottle, \$1.00 size, relieved her again, and

she has not had a symptom since. I sold a bottle of P. P. P. to a friend of mine, one of the turkies, a small one, took sick and his wife gave it a teaspoonful, that was in the evening, and the little fellow turned over like he was dead, but next morning was

up holloowing and well. Yours respectfully, J. N. McELROY, Savannah, Ga., March 17, 1891.

Messrs. Lippman Bros., Savannah, Ga.: Dear Sirs-I have suffered from rheumatism for a long time and did not find a cure until I found P. P. P. which completely cured me. Yours truly

ELIZA F. JONES, 16 Orange St., Savannah, Ga.